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ELEMENT HAVING THIS LAYER SYSTEM
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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of July 9, 2009, whose three-month
response date was October 9, 2009, kindly amend the above-captioned application
without prejudice as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims,
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Applicants respectfully request a one month extension of time in which
to file this response and provide payment of the required fee with the accompanying
transmittal.